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<u>U.S. Business Route 20/West State Street</u> <u>Illinois Department of Transportation Resurfacing Project</u> <u>(Springfield Avenue to Day Avenue)</u>

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) will be resurfacing West State Street from Springfield Avenue to Day Avenue during the 2014 construction season. The project scope consists of asphalt pavement milling, pavement patching, inlet and manhole adjustments, traffic signal detector loop installation, new hot-mix asphalt pavement, and thermoplastic pavement markings.

Construction will commence on August 18, 2014 with asphalt pavement milling. The road will remain open to traffic during construction activities with periodic lane closures. The anticipated completion date is late September 2014.

IDOT will be coordinating with all applicable governmental agencies throughout the project

Drivers are reminded to stay alert for workers when driving through the construction zone.

Questions regarding this project can be directed to Tyler Nelson, P.E. in the Public Works Department at (815) 967-4311. Thank you for your consideration.